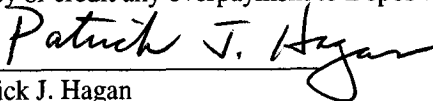


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In re Application of :
Theodore J. NITZ et al. : Examiner: J. R. Kosack
Application No. 10/524,162 :
Filing Date: June 17, 2005 : Group Art Unit: 1626
For: COMPOUNDS, COMPOSITIONS AND : Atty Docket No.: 1282-P02959US01
METHODS FOR TREATING OR : Confirmation No.: 2828
PREVENTING PNEUMOVIRUS INFECTION :
AND ASSOCIATED DISEASES :

Petition for Extension of Time Under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a):

The undersigned hereby petitions for an extension of time of **THREE (3)** months beyond the time period set in the last Office Action. The Director is hereby authorized to charge the amount of \$525.00 to cover this fee. Please charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 04-1406.


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**AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR
RECONSIDERATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111**

Dear Sir:

In response to the Official Action dated February 29, 2008, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows: